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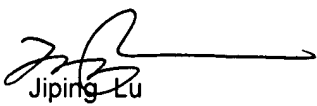
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This is to reply Ms. Lisa Hawkins's telephone inquiry of 6/30/06 regarding the discrepancy of the Final rejection mailed 6/22/06. The examiner has made attempts to return Ms. Howkins's voice message without success. In the Final rejection, the office action summary sheet FORM PTOL-326 indicates claims 6, 8, 11-18 were rejected. The body of the Final rejection indicated that claims 6 and 8 were allowed. This is to confirm the allowance of claims 6 and 8 is correct. The discrepancy due to typographical error is regretted. Since there appears no hinderance to the applicant's ability to reply the Final rejection, then, it is believed there is no need to re-mail the Final rejection and renew the period to respond in order to expedite the prosecution of the case.

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Jiping Lu whose telephone number is 571 272 4878. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Friday, 9:00 AM - 5:30 PM. If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, EHUD GARTENBERG can be reached on 571 272-4828. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300. Information regarding the status of an application may be obtained from the Patent Application Information Retrieval (PAIR) system. Status information for published applications may be obtained from either Private PAIR or Public PAIR. Status information for unpublished applications is available through Private PAIR only. For more information about the PAIR system, see <http://pair-direct.uspto.gov>. Should you have questions on access to the Private PAIR system, contact the Electronic Business Center (EBC) at 866-217-9197 (toll-free).


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